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## **AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312**

Entrance of the following amendment to correct a typographical error is solicited.

## Claims:

In claim 4, line 5, please delete "recessed" and substitute therefor -recess-.

## Remarks:

Upon receipt of the notice of allowance in this case, a minor typographical error was noted in claim 4, at line 5. It is believed obvious from context that the proper word in this lien of claim 4 is "recess" instead of "recessed." Therefore, this amendment cures this inadvertency.